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SUBJECT: ALLEGED UAE LOAN TO PORTUGAL

1. FOR WHAT IT MAY BE WORTH, AN APPARENTLY WELL-KNOWN PORTUGUESE BANKER WHO ON MAY 23 CALLED AT THE EMBASSY TO DISCUSS ANGOLA, TOLD US THAT THE PORTUGUESE GOVERNMENT IS ABOUT TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES FOR A LOAN OF 500 MILLION DOLLARS. AS A CONDITION OF THE LOAN, PORTUGAL REPORTEDLY WILL AGREE NOT TO ALLOW THE AZORES TO BE USED BY THE U.S. FOR ANY EVENTUAL MILITARY OPERATIONS IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

2. COMMENT: WE ARE NOT IN A POSITION TO JUDGE OUR SOURCE'S RELIABILITY.
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